

50652 to 50678—Continued.

a small quantity of seed could be obtained. I have, therefore, obtained an additional supply, so that the species can be given a wide trial in the Tropics and Subtropics."

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 44775.

50667. PLOCOSPERMA BUXIFOLIUM Benth. Loganiaceæ.

"(No. 357a. Herb. No. 972.) *Barreto*. Described as a small tree, reaching about 20 feet in height and producing in April small purple flowers."

50668. PLUMERIA ACUTIFOLIA Poir. Apocynaceæ.

"(No. 354a.) *Palo de la Cruz*. Known in English as frangipani, the source of the perfume of the same name. A stiff, erect, small tree, reaching about 25 feet in height, the branches naked except for clusters of leaves at the summit of each, where also appear in early spring clusters of single white, star-shaped flowers of delicious fragrance. This species is probably already known in Florida, as several plumerias are grown there to a limited extent; but it deserves much wider dissemination than has yet been given it in that State."

50669. PODOPTERUS GUATEMALENSIS Blake. Polygonaceæ.

"(No. 349a. Herb. No. 973.) *Cruzito*. A small tree or large shrub, which produces in February and March a profusion of small white flowers of peculiar form. A curious and beautiful plant."

50670. SAPINDUS SAPONARIA L. Sapindaceæ.

"(No. 352a.) *Jaboncillo*. One of the soapberries. See S. P. I. No. 49781 [324a]."

50671. SECURIDACA SYLVESTRIS Schlecht. Polygalaceæ.

"(No. 347a. Herb. No. 964.) *Choreque*. A vigorous climber, producing trusses of reddish purple flowers. A handsome thing."

50672. STIGMAPHYLLON sp. Malpighiaceæ.

"(No. 351a.) *Coralillo*. Said to be a red-flowered climbing plant. I am not familiar with it."

50673. TABEUIA sp. Bignoniaceæ.

"(No. 366a.) *Cacho de chibo*. Described as a medium-sized tree producing small white flowers in January."

50674. VERNONIA PATENS H. B. K. Asteraceæ.

"(No. 358a. Herb. No. 960.) *Suquinay*. Described as an arborescent shrub, about 10 feet high, bearing many small white flowers about the first of March."

50675. (Undetermined.)

"(No. 369a.) *Granadillo*. Described as a medium-sized tree which produces in December an abundance of small white flowers."

50676. SIMAROUBA GLAUCA DC. Simaroubaceæ.

"(No. 353a. Herb. No. 982.) *Jocote mico*. Described as a small tree which produces attractive flowers followed by terminal racemes of plum-like fruits said to be edible."

50677. KARWINSKIA sp. Rhamnaceæ.

"(No. 370a.) *Manzanito*. Described as a medium-sized tree which produces small white flowers in January."